

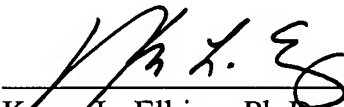
REMARKS

Claims 1-8 are pending in this case. Of these, claims 1, 2, and 6-8 are allowed. By the present amendment, claims 3-5 have been canceled. Applicants request entry of this amendment as it places the application in condition for allowance. M.P.E.P. 714.12.

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